

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure
Yoshihiro KANDA : Customer Number: 53080
Application No.: 10/586,355 : Confirmation Number: 3030
Filed: July 17, 2006 : Group Art Unit: 2627
For: REPETITIVE CONTROL DEVICE AND OPTICAL DISC DEVICE : Examiner: AGUSTIN, Peter Vincent

AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2009, having a shortened statutory period of response set to expire on July 29, 2009, and a one-month extension of time up to and including August 29, 2009 being filed concurrently herewith, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.